# **BUMPER CROWD**

Blues-College Indoor Meet in Horse Show Building Attracts Star Athletes.

The banner event of the local athletic year will be staged to-night, the Blues-Richmond College annual handicap track meet is held at the Horse Show Building. The first heat will start promptly at S o'clock, and it is certain that a large crowd will witness the games. Arrangements have been made with the street car officials to run their cars to the entrance of the building for the benefit of those attending the meet, Manager Carter, of the Spiders, has arranged to have the building properly heated, and the spectators will not have to endure the Arctic weather that they did at the dual meet the Spiders and the Blues held on the 7th.

With the exception of the two South Atlantic championship events to be pulled off, interest will centre on the local relay teams that are going to participate. It is a well-known fact that the more relay races staged the more interesting the affair will be, and the promoters of the meet have been working with this in mind and have arranged for the biggest relay carnival ever held in this city. Practically every member of the Richmond Amateur Athleth Federation will have teams entered, while all of the prominent prep schools will have their teams on hand.

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Manager Carter received a long list of catries from the Baltimore Polytechnic Institute last night, as well as several entries from athletes running unattached. P. L. Kelly, of Baltimore, sent in his entry for the championship quarter mile, and judging from his past performances he should be able to give some of the reigning favorites a tough tussle in this event. McDonough, the speedy timber-topper, who ran second to Cronley in the hurdles last Saturday night at Baltimore, has entered the fifty-yard hurdles for to-night, and claims that he is going to make the champion hustle to defeat him again. McDonough beat Cronley in the handicap hurdles Saturday, but lost out in the championship event by a narrow margin.

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One of the feature events of the evening will be the Boy Scout relay for the championship of the city. The winner of this race will be awarded a handsome trophy, and the youthful Daniel Boones are on edge for the affair. The grammar school relay will also furnish the spectators with a good bit of sport. The Spiders will run a three-cornered race with the Maryland Aggies and the Blues as their opponents. This event will wind up the evening's program.

Roanoke College Defcated. [Special to The Times-Dispatch. tol. Va. Pebruary 29.—The Kin asketball quintet by fast playi

## LYNCHBURG QUINT

Game To-Night on Howitzers' Court Will Largely Determine State Championship.

C. A. and the Howitzers, promise: fought games that it has ever been the good fortune of followers of basket-ball to witness. Both teams are on their mettle, and are both training hard for this game.

Lynchburg has defeated every team that it has been up against this season, and have been champions of this

Washington Y. M. C.-A., 53, Howitzers, 16; John Marshall Athletic Club, 31, Howitzers, 34; Union Theological Seminary, 24, Howitzers, 22; William and Mary, 8, Howitzers, 43; Richmond Richmond Blues, 3. Howitzers, 54; William and Mary, 29, Howitzers, 40; Medical Coltege, 14, Howitzers, 55; Randotph-Macon, 21, Howitzers, 36; Richmond College, 21, Howitzers, 29; John Marshall Athletic Club, 26, Howitzers, 31; Randolph-Macon, 32, Howitzers, 16; Union Theological Seminary, 19, Howitzers, 37; Washington Y. M. C. A., Wake Forest by a score of 29 to 24. The man was anybody's until the end, and the Howitzers, 31; Richmond Blues, 23, Howitzers, 31. College, 21, Howitzers, 29; John Mar-shall Athletic Club, 26, Howitzers, 31;

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Howitzers have been defeated by only feated Guilford to-night in a rough game two feams in this State this season, of basketball 24 to 15. At the outset it look-and, therefore, by taking the measure ed as if the teams were evenly matched, of Lynchburg, as they expect to do, neither scoring during the first ten minutes will have a good claim on the State of play. The guarding of Pleasants for Trinwill have a good claim on the State championship. The records of both teams follows:

Virginia Christian College, 12, Lynchburg 71; Norfolk Navy Y. M. C. A., 20, Lynchburg 21; Cardinal Athletic Club, 34, Lynchburg, 48; Washington Y. M. C. A. 24, Lynchburg, 49; Washington Y. M. C. A. 24, Lynchburg, 31; Richmond College, 16, Lynchburg, 31; Richmond College, 16, Lynchburg, 80; A. & M., of North Carolina, 20, Lynchburg, 60.

Big Swede Wins Match at Auditorium-Duchesne Misses Train in Washington.

Nell Olsen, whose right to the title of the Terrible Swede was demonstrated last night lege to meet Dr. Roller on the same mar ouently on both teams. The line-up:
Trinity-McKinnon, Siler, forwards; C.
Cherry, ceatre, Picasants, Thorne, guards,
Guilford-Beabow, Moorefield, forwards; Edwards, centre; Stewart, Finch, guards,
Summary: Field goals-Siler (3), McKinnon (3), Cherry (2), Henbow (3), Edwards,
Foul goals-Siler (5), Moorefield (7).

Lynchburg High to Challenge.
Lynchburg, Va., February 20.—The Lynchburg High school basketball team has announced its purpose of challenging the winner of the Jefferson School-John Marshail
High School a game to be played at Richmond Saturday. The High School team has alefeated every team played this season, excepting the second quint of Washington and Lee, and a game with the winner of Saturday's game would throw more light on the State prep and high school champion, ship than any other that could be arranged.

V. P. I. Bents Wake Force.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Blacksburg, Va., February 20.—In a close next month. He defeated George Senteles

Lynchburg Fans Coming. Lynchburg Va., February 29.—A number of basketball fans will accompany the Lynchburg Y. M. C. A. quintet to Richmond Saturday to winess the game scheduled in the capital city with the Richmond Howitzers Saturday night. This is the only game the Y has been able to schedule out of town during this season, other quints, apparently, being afraid to tackle the Lynchburg aggregation.

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Chicago. February 20.—The Brooklyn Club, of the Federal League, has failed in its efforts to get Jake Stahl, the former Rex Sox leader, as manager. President Robert B. Ward to-night left Chicago for Brooklyn, after neither Ward nor Stahl made concessions, which would remove the differences in the terms proposed. It is said that Stahl's terms still are heling considered by the Brooklyn owner, and that a deal yet may be arranged.

ORGANIZED AT CHICAGO.

National Amateur Baseball Association Starts With Fourteen Leagues.
Chicago, February 20.—The National Amateur Baseball Association was organized here to-day by representatives of fourteen leagues in various cities, with a membership of 200 clubs. The organization will bring city leagues under one governing body, similar to that in professional baseball. The following cities hold charter membership in the association: Omaha, Minneapolis, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Kansas City, St. Louis, Columbus, Washington, Joliet, St. Paul, Louisville, Baltimore and Chicago.
Officers will be chosen and a constitution addpted.

Four Survivors Left.

Boston, February 29.—Play in the national racket championship at the Tennis and Racket Club to-day, brought the tournament down to the semi-finals, with H. F. McCormick, Chicago, Dwight F. Davis, St. Louis; Lawrence Waterbury, New York, and C. G. Osborne, Chicago, as survivors. The best match of the day was that between Scott and Osborne, the latter winning out through his brilliant service and better condition.

Cree to Play With Orioles.

Baltimore, February 20.—Manager Dunn of the Baltimore International League Club, announced that Outfielder Birdle Cree, released by the New York Americans yeaterday, had signed a contract to play with

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Class. Alleys. Singles at 10 P. M.;

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Challenge for

John Marshall

February 20, 1914.

Sporting Editor, The Times-Dispotch:
Sir,—The Petersburg High School relay team hereby challenges the John Marshall High School relay team to a relay race of 1,000 yards, to be run in the Richmond Blues-Richmond College Indoor track meet on the night of February 21.

On Saturday, February 14, the manager of the John Marshall High School track team made arrangements with Manager Carter, of Richmond College, for a relay of 1,000 yards, to be run with our relay team. Last night word was received from Manager Carter that John Marshall had refused to run the aforesaid race.

The Petersburg High School relay team sincerely hopes that John Marshall High School will see fit to accept this challenge.

Very truly yours,

J. G. JONES,

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Staunton, Va., February 26.—The game to-night between Virginia and V. M. I. was characterized by Virginia's usual run of fast playing and roughness throughout. Sitckley and Strickling starred. The score was 51 to 15 in favor of the Virginia. Summary: Field goals—Strickling (5), Stickley (2), Luck (5), Campbell (3), Nichols (7), Lowry (2), Batton (2), Feteroff (2) and Coehran. Strickling made 7 fouls for Vir-ginia.

DENIES JURISDICTION.

Norfolk, Va., February 20.—Nathaniel T. Green, counsel for Police Captain Foard, accused of attempting to install a distagraph or detecto in the meeting-room of the Railway Clerks' Association, to-night withdrew from the investigation being conducted by the committee named by the Board of Aldermen. Mr. Green stated that Captain Ford, at his advice, did not recognize the authority of the committee to conduct such an investigation. He said that the committee had nothing whatever to do with the police depairtment, could not impose any penalty and was without any jurisdiction in the matter. He stated that Captain Ford would go before any proper authority to have charges against him investigated. Police Chief Kizer filed a similar notice with the committee, denying that it had any authority to investigate the conduct of the police department.

Chairman Christe, of the committee, stated that the investigation would continuo, according to instructions from the Board of Aldermen.

Several policemen testified before the com-

Races -:-

George Brown Dead.

Little Rock. Ark. February 20.—A proposition containing the terms on which the Southern Basebail Association will agree to the Dixie League entering the Southern baseball field and using Southern Association plants in 1915 will be submitted to represensatives of the Dixie League at the schedule meeting of the Southern Association at Mobile to morrow. President W. M. Kavanaugh, before he left to-night for the Mobile meeting, announced the terms to be offered. Mobile meeting, announced the terms to be offered.

The Dixle organization plans to enter the field in 1915 and seeks to place clubs in six cittes already in the Southern circuit—Memphia, New Orleans, Atlanta, Nashville, Birmingham and Chattanoosa, Little Rock and Shreveport are to complete the Dixle circuit, leaving Mobile and Montgomery to carry only Southern League teams. The newcomers offer to put up a guarantee of \$59,000 that they will not inflict financial injury on the Southern, and guarantee to cover a period of five years. They also offer to pay Southern League clubs 6 per cent interest on their investments in the plants in the six cities.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Bijou—Grayce Scott Company, in "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," matinee and night.
Lyric—Reith Vaudeville, matinee and night.
Colonial—Vaudeville and pictures.

Miss Booker in Song Recital.

Junez Race Results.

First race-four furlongs-Rebecca, 115 (Van Dusen). 13 to 10, 1 to 3 and out, first; Flossie, 116 (Taylor), 8 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, second; Marle C., 110 (McCabe), 6 to 1, 8 to 5, 7 to 10, third. Time, :481-5. June Bride. Fred T., Lady Benzole, Waholoty, also ran.

Second race-mile-Baironia, 110 (Keissy).

Anti-Saloon League Committee to Meet Here Next Week.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Norfolk, Va., February 20.—J. W. Hough, president of the Virginia Anti-Saloon League, stated to-night that the headquarters' committee of that organization would meet on Friday, February 27. in Richmond. Plans will be completed at this meeting for circulating petitions for the 18,000 signatures necessary to call an election under the enabling act recently passed by the Legislature. Mr. Hough said he did not think there was any doubt about the Anti-Saloon League accepting the act as passed.

Amusements

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